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Chapman Florida Home Described

(From "Little Visits to St. Petersburg Homes" by Lillian Blackstone in the St. Petersburg Times, Jan. 3)

Not only is Mrs. W. R. Chapman's winter residence at 2100 First Street north attractive because of its substantiality and architecture but also because of the landscape planting which adds to its beauty. For instance, all around the house in the stretch of grass between street and sidewalk are alternate plantings of Washingtonian palms and red hibiscus. Close to the foundations of the house are crotons and poinsettias, and in the rear of the house, back of the garage and chauffeur's quarters are Australian pines with border of hibiscus. There are also other palm trees and tropical plantings, including citrus trees with enough oranges, grapefruit, lemons, kumquats and calamondins to supply Mrs. Chapman and her household.

When looking for a permanent residence last spring, Mrs. Chapman knew her search was ended when she found this house. It is made of hollow tile stucco inside and out, the exterior coloring of tan and green blending with the green tile roof and contrasting pleasantly with the red brick steps and the tile sidewalks leading to the front and side porches. There is a splendid ventilating system, the house is termite proof and an oil plant heater has been installed with radiators in every room.

Roomy and Comfortable
The home is large, comfortable and roomy. The front verandah facing First street north, leads into a vestibule, Spanish style, and from this vestibule one can enter sun parlor or living room. The side verandah facing Twenty-first Avenue north, looks like a front porch, and is one of the most lived-in parts of the entire home. There is a tile floor, rug covering and wicker furniture. It is a pleasant place in which to be—but then, too, so is the other verandah as well as the rooms which have many windows to let in fresh air and sunshine. The ceiling of the living room is 12 feet, 3 inches high and has exposed rafters of the same finished woodwork found throughout the home. The ceiling of the dining room, opening from the living room through an arched doorway, is 9 feet, 4 inches high.

One of the most pleasant features of the living room is the tapestry brick fireplace extending to the ceiling. An inset above the mantelpiece shows one of the knights of the Round Table. There are seven rooms in the house, including the living room, sun parlor, dining room, three bedrooms, bath and kitchen. The bedrooms are airy and attractive, and with a color scheme respectively of tan and blue, green and white, and pink and white. In the other rooms the tan shade predominates, since the walls are all of this color. Woodwork is finished in a tone of green.

Active in Music Circles
Mrs. Chapman, who has been coming to St. Petersburg for three seasons with her daughter, Miss Nellie B. Chapman, is well known throughout the north—particularly in the music circles of New York where she was president of the Rubinstein Club for 26 years. Because of her musical affiliations she was recently named an honorary member of the local Carreno club.

Mrs. Chapman was the wife of William Rogers Chapman, who died in Palm Beach two winters ago. He was a leading musician in this country, conducting the Rubinstein Club for 48 years and the famous Maloo festivals for 30 years. Mrs. Chapman is writing a biography of her husband, which the entire music world awaits.

LYNN GENERAL SUPERVISOR

It was announced last week that William Lynn of Rumford Center was promoted to general supervisor of highways in this section, effective Jan. 1. Mr. Lynn has been supervisor of highways for several years.

At the same time the appointment of Ernest Bennett of Wilson's Mills as supervisor was made public. He is in charge of state roads in 42 towns.

Held For Superior Court

Joseph T. Bryant of South Woodstock, charged with manslaughter, is held in \$5000 bail for appearance at the March term of Superior Court. Bryant is said to be driver of a truck which left the road near West Paris on Tuesday night, Jan. 12, causing the death of Howard L. McKee of that place.

Cotton—Blake

Miss Irene Blake and Ray E. Cotton, Jr., were married January 16, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Cotton, Mechanic Falls. Mr. Cotton is a brother of the groom. The officiating clergyman was Rev. Lamb of the Baptist Church. The single ring service was used.

The bride's gown was blue boucle with matching accessories. Following the ceremony an informal reception was held and a buffet lunch was served with 20 persons present. The bride cut the wedding cake made by the groom's sister-in-law, Mrs. Albert Cotton. Mrs. Albert Cotton and Miss Lyndall Cotton were in charge of the refreshments. Miss Ada Cotton, the groom's sister, was in charge of the guest book.

Those attending were: John Cotton, Mr. and Mrs. Ray E. Cotton, Sr., Mr. and Mrs. Albert Cotton and daughter Marguerite, Miss Ada Cotton, Miss Lyndall Cotton, Mr. and Mrs. Warren Blake, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Blake, Miss Florence Blake, Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Cole, Erwin M. Royal, Edward Withers, Martin Strout, Edward Hall.

Following the reception Mr. and Mrs. Cotton left for a short trip to parts unknown. On their return they have a furnished apartment awaiting them.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Blake of Bethel. She has always resided in Bethel. The bridegroom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Ray E. Cotton of Mechanic Falls. He is employed in the Mechanic Falls paper mill.

Conservation Payments Total \$241,356, January 7

Payments to 5,383 Maine farmers who participated in the 1936 agricultural conservation program had reached a total of \$241,356.79 on January 7, according to the disbursing office, Washington, D. C. Applications for a total of \$268,001.20, including those already paid, had been received from Maine on that date. The average amount of checks mailed was \$45.10.

Maine was fourth among the nine states of the triple A's Northeast region, led by New York, Pennsylvania in the region were \$4,481,030.39 on January 7.

Maine officials expressed satisfaction in the small number of suspended applications. Only 76 applications from Maine, or 1.25% were of the AAA pending revision or correction held by the examining section. Pennsylvania had the lowest percentage suspended among the Northeastern states, and Maine was second.

P. T. A.
Food Sale
Nelson Building
Saturday Afternoon, Jan. 23

Townsend Club Holds Election

The regular meeting of Bethel Townsend Club was held at the Methodist Church Sunday, Jan. 17. The following officers were elected: President—Dan Spearin; Vice-President—Erwin Hutchinson; Treasurer—Alanson Tyler; Secretary—Frank Hunt; Entertainment Committee—Bernice Spearin, Sadie King, Linnie Abbott, Mary Clark.

The meeting was opened with singing America and saluting the beautiful flag which was presented by the Club by Mrs. Linnie Abbott and Miss Mabel Stanley. We wish to thank our past officers for their efficiency in the past year, also the members who have worked with untiring effort to put our Club where it stands today.

The meeting closed with singing the song adapted to the Club by Mrs. Linnie Abbott. Tune, Battle Hymn of the Republic.

The Townsends are marching, they are marching right along. They are marching to the White House, with many a million strong. They are marching on to victory, this victory to win, For truth is marching on.

Chorus—
Glory, glory, hallelujah! Glory, glory, hallelujah! Glory, glory, hallelujah! For truth is marching on.

Maine has 1,223 manufacturing establishments with 69,764 employees. Acadia National Park in Maine, is the only coastal park in the federal system.

Maine factories produce 170,000,000 toothpicks every day. A cord of sound birch yields 9,000,000. Eastport, Maine, is the most easterly city in the United States. It has a tidal rise and fall of 24 feet.

"Nation's Fair" Their Objective



Mrs. Vincent Astor



Winthrop W. Aldrich

NEW YORK (Special)—Mrs. Vincent Astor, society leader and civic worker, has been appointed Chairman of the National Women's Advisory Committee for the New York World's Fair of 1939. Winthrop W. Aldrich, Chairman of the Chase National Bank, is heading the men's National Committee. Together they will enlist more than 10,000 committee workers in a nationwide campaign to arouse interest in and create support for the New York Fair. Aldrich, President of the New York World's Fair, has announced that State Chairman will be named later and that every state will be brought into active participation in the New York Fair making it truly national.

REGINALD ROBINSON

Reginald Robinson passed away Tuesday evening at the St. Louis Hospital, Berlin, where he had been ill since Sunday, Jan. 10. He was born in Bethel, Nov. 25, 1901, the son of Elias and Grace Sanborn Robinson, and was educated in the schools of Bethel and at Gould Academy.

He married Miss Christine Little of Portland and one son, Keith, was born to them. Besides his wife and son, he is survived by his father, Elias Robinson, and brother, Julius Robinson, both of Bethel; and sister, Miss Hilda Robinson, of Randolph, Mass.

He was employed at the Skillings-ton mill.

Funeral services will be held at Greenleaf's funeral rooms at 2 p. m., Friday, Rev. H. T. Wallace officiating. Interment will be at West Bethel.

S. OF U. V. AUXILIARY INSTALLATION

The S. of U. V. Auxiliary held its installation Thursday evening of last week with guests from Portland, South Paris and Bethel. Supper was served at 6:30 with a good attendance. The officers were then installed by Alice Brown, Dept. Inspector, assisted by Susie Renell, both of Portland. Officers installed were as follows:

President—Lottie Bartlett
Vice-President—Bell Hutchinson (absent)
Trustees—Mary Lapham, Hattie Hutchinson, Merle Wheeler
Treasurer—Maudie Hutchinson
Patriotic Instructor—Deola Foster

Chaplain—Florence Douglass
Guide—Irene Hutchinson
Assistant Guide—Merle Wheeler
Outside Guard—Virgie McMillin (absent)
Color Guard—Katherine Bennett
Press Cor.—Hattie Hutchinson
Secretary—Frances Clough
Council—L. A. Sumner
Musician—Hattie Hutchinson

Following the installation there were remarks by visitors. Frances Clough and Mary Lapham were each presented pins in recognition of their perfect attendance.

FEDERAL AUTOMOTIVE TAXES \$21,270,374 IN NOVEMBER

Federal automotive taxes cost motor vehicle operators \$21,270,374 in November 1936, of which \$12,980,998 represents revenues collected from the duplicating federal tax on gasoline, according to official reports received by the American Petroleum Industries Committee. Total collections of federal automotive taxes for 11 months of 1936 are reported as \$398,370,170, an increase of about eight per cent over collections of \$365,616,782 in the corresponding period of 1935.

The duplicating gasoline tax is the most expensive of the federal levies, accounting for 61 per cent of total revenue.

Over 60 per cent of Maine's population live in rural districts.

More lime is shipped from Rockland, Maine, than from any other seaport in the United States.

Maine produced 25 per cent of the feldspar used in the United States. It is used in pottery making.

Maine is the leading pulp and paper manufacturing state in the Union. Thirty establishments sold \$50,278,482 worth of these products last year.

Maine's developed water power is 602,633 horse power. Estimated undeveloped power is 621,419, making a total of 1,224,052 horse power available.

Poverty Dance

Bethel Grange Hall
FRIDAY, JANUARY 23
Lord's Orchestra
LADIES, 15c GENTS, 25c

Gould Wins One: Drops the Next

GOULD UPSETS OXFORD 27-19

The Gould Academy quintet played its finest basketball of the year to defeat Oxford's Small School Champions here last Friday to the tune of 27-19. The visitors opened up with the first basket but Gould came right back to score a basket and a few moments later to score again to assume a lead which they held throughout the entire game but which at times was threatened by Oxford rallies. The closest of these rallies came late in the third period when Oxford scored twice from the field and once from the foul line to bring the score to 14-15 against them.

In the final chapter Gould put on the pressure to score 10 points while the visitors scored five. With about two minutes to play the Gould team with an eight point lead played a beautiful stalling game, which kept the ball from Oxford hands for most of the last two minutes of the game.

In the preliminary game the Gould Second team played poor basketball and naturally too a 39-25 beating from Woodstock High of Bryant Pond. The score by periods in this game was as follows:

GOULD 5 10 19 25
WOODSTOCK 12 21 31 39

OXFORD (19)

It Grover	3	2	8
rt. Hall	2	1	5
rt. Whitney	0	0	0
c. Perkins	0	1	1
lg. Adams	1	1	3
rg. Smith	0	2	2
	6	7	19

GOULD (27)

It. Wentzel	3	1	7
rt. O. Robertson	5	1	11
c. McFarland	1	0	2
lg. P. Brown	0	0	0
lg. Swain	0	2	2
rg. E. Robertson	2	1	5
rg. Stiles	0	0	0
	11	5	27

Oxford 5 8 14 19
Gould 8 14 17 27
Referee—Buck Spinks Time—48 minutes

GOULD SLUMPS IN FINAL PERIOD

After playing big league ball as beautiful as one could expect to see on any court for the first half, Gould Academy finally succumbed to a sensational South Paris rally on the Paris floor Wednesday evening.

Gould started the game by going into an early lead which they held to the half way mark which ended Gould 13 South Paris 11. During these periods the Gould team put up the smartest basketball and the finest passing game seen at South Paris this year. In the last half however the superior power, speed and size of the victors began to take its toll. The game however was well played through the third period with South Paris out front 24-18 it was in the final stanza that the Paris quintet staged their sensational rally which netted them 14 points to Gould's 4 for a final score of 38-22 which does not indicate in the least the fine game that was played.

The early exceptionally fast pace set in the game seemed to take everything the Gould Midgets could give and they had nothing in reserve to stem the tide of the final rally.

In the preliminary game the Gould club lost a rough but evenly contested game by a 22-24 margin. Box Score on Page Five

Engagement

Mr. and Mrs. M. J. Marshall of Bethel, announce the engagement of their daughter, Rena May, to Ernest Robert Buckley of Bethel. N. H. Mr. Buckley is the son of Mr. and Mrs. John B. Buckley.

Mrs. Georgianna Whitman

The funeral of Mrs. Georgianna Whitman was held at the Baptist Church, Bryant Pond, Saturday afternoon. Rev. James MacKillop officiated. The floral tributes were beautiful.

She was the widow of George W. Whitman, who passed away many years ago. Two sons were born to this union: Bert, who died many years ago; and Fred H., who resides at Norway, but he and his wife were in California at the time of his mother's death and unable to get here for the funeral. She had two grandsons: Charlie Whitman of Massachusetts, and Arthur Whitman of North Woodstock with whom she resided but at the present time all were in Norway keeping house for Fred Whitman. There is also a great grandson, Lloyd Davis of North Woodstock and one sister, Mrs. Emma Whitman, wife of George S. Whitman, surviving.

Joseph and Elizabeth Brown of Milton. She was a member of the Franklin Grange and Pythian Sisters. She will be greatly missed.

Franklin Grange

Franklin Grange of Bryant Pond met Saturday night, January 16th. There were several visitors from South Paris Grange. Nearly all the officers were present. The program consisted of songs and stunts by members. Miss Letty Day, the lecturer, gave an account of her trip to the lecturer's conference. Refreshments of pop corn was served and games played after the meeting. Two applications for membership were received. Bernard Cushman, steward and Linona Yates, Pomona, were absent. The officers were filled by Otis Dudley and Clara Whitman.

North Paris

Supt. Garland of the Methodist Association of this district, whose home is Portland, occupied the pulpit of the Federated Church, Sunday afternoon. There was a good attendance. Rev. Ridlon of South Paris will be the speaker next Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Hart are receiving congratulations on the birth of a son, Warren Arthur, Sunday at Mrs. McAllister's Hospital, South Paris.

Arthur Hart and two children, Priscilla and Lillian are boarding with Mr. and Mrs. Erwin Trask while Mrs. Hart is in the hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. George Blake and son of Berlin, N. H., spent Sunday at the farm here.

Many thanks to Archie McDonald for sweeping the church Saturday and Misses Esther Wheeler, Beatrice Bonney and Morris Pierce for doing it.

Mrs. Alfred Andrews attended the lecturer's conference of the Grange at Augusta, Thursday and Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Ellingwood and two daughters, Ina and Beryl, moved home Sunday from Peru, where Mr. Ellingwood has been cutting lumber.

Mrs. Charles Ridley has finished work for Mrs. Lawrence Abbott and gone to Buckfield to work. Mr. Ridley is gaining from his recent illness.

Mrs. Clarence Coffin was unable to teach her school at Locke Mills, Monday afternoon on account of illness. Mrs. DeShon of Bryant Pond supplied for her.

Morris Pierce was an over night guest of his grandmother, Mrs. Nina Felt at Norway, Monday.

Ethel Valentine of West Paris was a visitor at the home of Mr. and Mrs. George Noyes, Saturday.

Carlton Berry and Richard Dunham of West Paris called on Clarence M. Coffin, Friday after school. They came on their bicycles not finding any snow or ice on the road. Loren Trask, Herbert and Earl Andrews and one of William Littlehale's children were absent Monday from school on account of bad colds.

Stewart Martin of Rumford Point was a caller at the home of Clarence M. Coffin, Monday.

Frank Littlehale and Floreston Pierce attended a meeting of the Encampment at South Paris, Monday evening.

Lee Abbott carried the basket ball team of West Paris High to Bryant Pond, Monday evening, where they played against the team of the Woodstock High.

Bryant Pond

Mrs. Elmer Billings is on the sick list and confined to her bed with liver trouble.

Frank Hayes is a little better but gains slowly.

Mrs. Frank Cummings is much better and back to work in Mann's mill.

Lester Morgan, wife and daughter, Madge, of North Paris, have moved here with his sister, Mrs. Herbert Ring, while he is working in Stowell's mill.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Cummings and son are with his mother, Mrs. Lena Cummings.

Friends in town have received word of the wedding of Mrs. Ada Taylor of Mechanic Falls to Joseph Lakeway of Littleton, N. H., at Franconia, Thursday, Jan. 14th. Mr. and Mrs. Lakeway will make their home at 108 1/2 Union St., Littleton, N. H., going to their cottage at Bryant Pond for the summer months.

South Bethel

Freeman Stevens and Perry Raimey are cutting wood for Ben Tyler on the Leslie Davis lot.

Mr. French and wife of Norway visited at Mr. and Mrs. Tift's Saturday.

Linwood Newell and family, Johnny Newell and Mr. and Mrs. House were in Norway Saturday shopping.

Robert Tift and wife were in Rumford Thursday on business.

Vinton Tibbets' boy has the German measles.

Gerald Walker has sold a cow to Joe Merrill.

Little Robert Tift entertained a few of his friends on his fifth birthday. Those present were Sylvia, Edith and Junior Hall, Verna, Alice and Kenneth Mason, and Margaret Newell. Ice cream and cake was served. All reported a good time.

The annual meeting of the North-eastern Dairy Conference, coordinating organization of the dairy industry, takes place at the Lord Baltimore Hotel, Baltimore, Jan. 27 and 28.

Middle Intervale

Frances Bean is sick with a cold but has a substitute to take her place at school.

Edith Carter returned home on Sunday.

Stanley Carter spent the week end at home.

Ronald Stevens and family were in Portland, Sunday.

Lloyd Thompson has had electricity installed in his house.

Rebecca Carter was visiting in Wilson's Mills, recently.

Bennie Bonvie spent the week end with his family.

Ronnie Smith has bought the hen business of B. W. Kimball.

East Bethel

H. O. Blake was called to Medford, Mass., Sunday, by the sudden death of his nephew, Winfield Blake son of the late Proctor Blake.

Mrs. Floribel Nevins spent the week end at her home in Poland.

Nearly every family has one or more of its members ill with the flu. Several whole families are ill.

Robert Hastings and family, Carroll Curtis and family, William Hastings, Barbara and Billy Hastings, Mrs. Leslie Noyes, Marilyn and Carolyn Noyes, Alfred Curtis and family, Mrs. Percy Cleveland, Junior Bartlett and Clark Bartlett and Miss Alta Brooks are among those having had, or who are now ill with the flu this week.

The Farm Bureau was to meet on Wednesday at the home of Mrs. J. C. Bartlett but owing to so much sickness it was decided to postpone it a while.

West Greenwood

J. H. Degan was home from his work in North Stratton, Vt., a few days last week.

Ray Cummings of Portland was in town Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Dennis Sheehy and son Dennis, Jr., of Lewiston called on Paul Croteau and family, Sunday.

A. L. Swan was in town Monday, collecting taxes.



One of the season's shipments of H. Bean, local fur dealer. Mr. Bean reports a business of about \$5000 in furs so far this season, besides a sizeable traffic in firearms and traps. He has been engaged in this line for 15 years or more.

Announcing an Unusual Event

at the

Roberts Housefurnishing Store Hanover, Maine

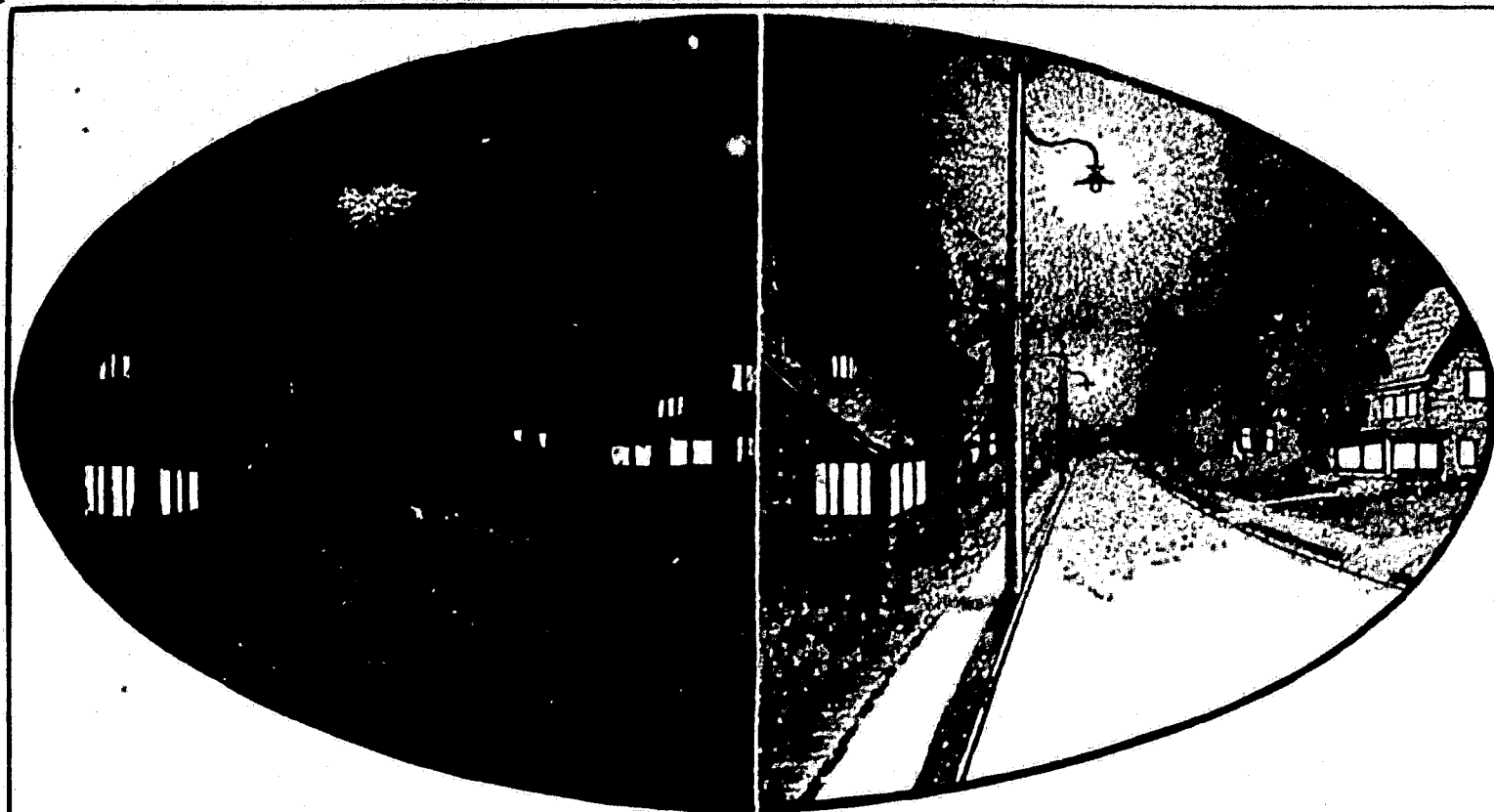
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WELL-MANAGED • ECONOMY-MINDED

**CENTRAL MAINE
POWER COMPANY**

How Edison Became
In 1862 Thomas A. Edison
bought a weekly newspaper
freight car for an office.
A laboratory for electric
experiments, this day a burning
phosphorus fell from
the car, and the car,
boy and belongings off,
and boxed his ears so
it is said to have caused
deafness that afflicted him

Persons You Meet . . .



HAROLD CHAMBERLIN

Mr. Chamberlin was born in Waterville on June 29, 1900. His education was acquired in the schools of Waterville and Monmouth and at Phillips Exeter Academy where he took a special course.

In 1918 he became superintendent of the angle iron department of the Texas Steamship Company at Bath. Four years later he opened a general store at Winthrop and the following year made extensive additions to the business. He served that town as tax collector and postmaster.

Losing his business there by fire in the spring of 1933, he came to Bethel the following August, buying the fruit store of David Fieldman. In this location he now carries a varied stock of fruits, confectionery, tobacco and smokers' supplies, and has added a line of newspapers and magazines.

In 1933 he married Miss Grace L. Foster of Winthrop, chief operator of the Lewiston, Green and Monmouth Telephone Co. In 1934 they purchased the Aldana Brook place on Philbrook Avenue, where they now live.

Mr. Chamberlin is a member of Crystal Lodge, No. 34, I. O. O. F., No. 195, the Grange and Oxford Bear Lodge, K. of P. He has a strong interest in the development of the town and is treasurer of the Bethel Chamber of Commerce. He is an attendant of the Congregational Church.

Greenwood Center

Mrs. Elmer Cole has been ill. Albert Ring, Rowe Hill, visited at Glenn Martin's recently.

Roy Martin, William Bailey and Leo Swett were home from their work at Sumner over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Robinson and family, Locke Mills, and Mrs. William Morgan and family, Greenwood, were at D. R. Cole's recently.

Pearl Swan spent the week end at Locke Mills.

Mrs. Mary Cole, West Paris, Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Farr, Leland Martin, and Wynona Farr, West Poland, visited at R. L. Martin's Sunday.

How Mushrooms Are Grown

Mushrooms are grown in what is called compost, a product of fertilizer from the stable. The fertilizer first should be gathered and piled into oblong heaps to permit easy working. As this mixture ferments, its temperature lifts to some 140-150 degrees F. It is left in these stacks for about three weeks and, in that time, should be forked over at least twice. A good rich loam also may be mixed with it to help hold the heat. At the end of the three week period the compost is ready for use. Los Angeles Times.

How Edison Became Deaf

In 1862 Thomas A. Edison published a weekly newspaper, using a freight car for an office, and also as a laboratory for electrical experiments. One day a bottle containing phosphorus fell from a shelf, broke on the floor, and set fire to the car, and the conductor put the boy and belongings off the train and boxed his ears so soundly that it is said to have caused the deafness that afflicted him in later years.

BETHEL AND VICINITY

Ernest Bisbee is confined to his home by sickness.

Dr. and Mrs. S. S. Greenleaf were in South Paris Wednesday evening. Miss Jessie Brooks is unable to attend school on account of illness.

Asa Smith spent the week end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Smith.

Mr. and Mrs. Owen Richards and Henry Enman were callers in town Wednesday.

The Girl Scout troop committee will meet with Mrs. Garrovey Tuesday afternoon.

The Canadian National is offering low excursion rates to Ottawa on Jan. 29 and 30.

S. F. Flu of Bradford, Mass., is visiting his nephew, Dr. S. S. Greenleaf, and family.

Mrs. Richard Brown spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Guy Perkins at Upton.

Miss Rebecca Carter returned Sunday from a week's visit with friends in Wilson's Mills.

Miss Lillian Fuller, who has been spending a few days in Portsmouth, N. H., returned home Monday.

Miss Florine Bean returned Saturday from Conitcook, Que., where she has been the guest of friends for two weeks.

Mrs. Guy Rice, who has been critically ill with pneumonia at the home of her brother at Norway, is reported much better.

Rev. H. T. Wallace was in Portland on Tuesday and Wednesday in attendance at the mid-winter meeting of the Directors of the Congregational-Christian Conference of Maine.

The American Legion Auxiliary is sponsoring a card party on Wednesday evening, Jan. 27, the proceeds to be used for welfare work. Mrs. Mho McAllister will be in charge of refreshments.

The Lions Club observed Charter and Ladies' Night at Maple Inn Monday night with a good attendance. Fred Garbi of Rockland was the speaker of the evening. Dancing was enjoyed following the speeches.

At a recent meeting of the Garden Club of Bethel an exhibit of fruit, foliage and flowers from the gardens of Mrs. W. R. Chapman in St. Petersburg was of great beauty and interest. Plans were made for an will be on a subject interesting to nature lovers and gardeners and the public will be invited.

Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Wheeler were pleasantly surprised Monday evening when a group of friends tendered them a surprise party in honor of their 30th wedding anniversary. Congratulations and gifts were presented then after which bridge and what were enjoyed.

Prizes were awarded Mrs. Wheeler and Norman Sanborn at bridge and Josephine Smith and Lucien Littlehale won the whist prizes. Delicious refreshments were served and a very happy evening was enjoyed by all.

Maine has 282 adult, 82 girls' and 90 boys' recreational camps. It also has 541 overnight and tourist camps, 3221 roadside lodging places and 4,923 eating places.

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Old Lady: "I wouldn't like to see that, my little just gave you, make a man."

Boy: "Try as you darn her: 'Yes, but he is a tall.'" "away on a business trip and won't be home until next week!"

There are two items that will show greater returns for investment. In comfort and fact say, "That's funny, I know of one in insulation board and the other is storm windows."

Just this morning we took about 2000 sq. ft. of 'Celotex' up to Ralph Burris' house at West Bethel.

He or romantically: "Does the moon affect the tide?"

He romantically: "The foot of Grafton?" "No, only the gullies." "Notch."

Teacher: "What is a comet?" Tommy: "A star with a long tail." Teacher: "Very good." Tommy: "Mickey Mouse."

"You've got something there!" is a current expression. It was first used by a contractor.

He said it to a man on whose house he had just finished putting a Mule-Hide Roof.

Mistress (to new maid): "Now, Norah, matter what make a car you have, they star when you wait on the guests at dinner, please don't spill anything!"

Norah: "No, Ma'am, I won't say a word."

GOULD-SO. PARIS BOX SCORE

GOULD (22)					
W. E. Wentzel	4	1	9		
H. R. Wentzel	0	0	0		
W. O. Robertson	0	4	4		
W. E. Robertson	3	0	6		
C. McFarland	0	1	1		
W. Stiles	0	0	0		
W. Brown	1	0	2		
W. Swain	0	0	0		
	8	6	22		

OUTH PARIS (38)					
W. Stearns	9	0	18		
W. Hubbard	0	0	0		
W. Wilson	0	1	1		
W. Russell	3	1	7		
W. Dennison	0	0	0		
W. Lahti	2	0	4		
W. Briggs	2	2	8		
W. Clifford	0	0	0		
	17	4	38		

Gould	9	13	18	22
S. P. H. S. 5	11	24	38	

Time—four eights. Referee—Dal-

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Hanover

Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Dyer returned home Saturday, after spending three weeks with their daughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Hardy, Sanford. While there, Mr. Dyer was given a birthday party on his 51st birthday.

C. F. Saunders returned Saturday after a week's business trip in New York.

Ann and Carol Cummings, who have been quite ill, are improving in health.

Mr. and Mrs. Addison Saunders spent Wednesday night with Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Saunders.

The children of Wesley Bean are ill with colds and are unable to attend school. Robert Brown has also been sick.

Oxford Bear Lodge, K. of P. Oxford Bear Lodge held a private installation Wednesday evening with Burchard Russell, D. D. G. C., as installing officer. The following were installed for the coming year:

C. C.—Wallace Thomas Vice C.—Norman Belyea

Frederic—Edward Bennett K. R. & S.—Wallace Saunders

M. of Ex.—Clement Worcester M. of A.—Roscoe Knight

M. of W.—P. O. Brink M. of F.—John A. Martin

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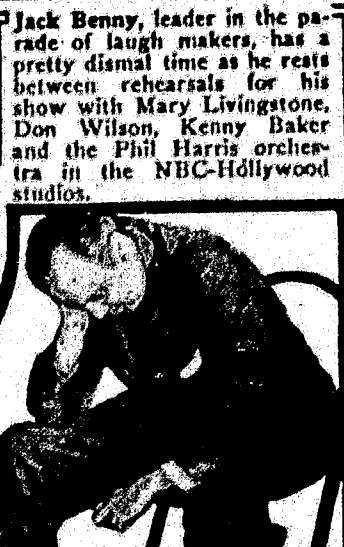
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IT'S NOT ALL LAUGHTER FOR THE FUNNY MEN



Charles Butterworth, star of the Fred Astaire production, is a real practice of the reaction of the audience as he goes about his business. The one who is not a comedian.



Jack Benny, leader in the parade of laugh makers, has a pretty dismal time as he sits between rehearsals for his show with Mary Livingstone, Don Wilson, Kenny Baker and the Phil Harris orchestra in the NBC-Hollywood studios.



Fred Allen in a mood more characteristic than the happy one you find him in each Wednesday night. He begins work on his scripts immediately after his first broadcast and has the idea for next week's sketch before he does his midnight show for the West Coast.



All play and no work make a comedian a pretty dull boy, says Ed Wynn, whose new Saturday night program is delighting thousands. He is shown here as he makes a last-minute joke substitution in his script before going on the air with Graham MacNamee and Don Voorhees' orchestra.



A most unusual shot in this of Stoopnagle and Budd in a serious conversation with the man who signs the checks for their Sunday broadcasts. Left to right: Stoopnagle; Larry Von Zell, announcer; sponsor Lawton Campbell, and Budd. It's all about a joke, too.

West Paris

Layman's Sunday will be observed at the Universalist Church, Sunday morning, with the following order of service: Voluntary, Mrs. Farr; Responsive Reading, Ralph Abbott; Scripture Reading, Stanley Q. Perham; Prayer, Reynold E. Chase; Sermon, Glenn R. McIntire; Solo, Walter L. Inman; Men's Choir.

The annual Parish Meeting of the First Universalist Church will be held Friday evening at the church. Supper will be served in Good Will Hall at six o'clock. It is hoped that a good number of members, their families and friends will attend. Those not solicited kindly bring pastry.

Mr. and Mrs. Everett White of Bath were guests Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Inman.

Miss Elizabeth Holman accompanied Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Stone, Clarence and Myrtle Emery on their Washington trip, leaving Saturday morning.

Chester Wheeler has been spending a few days with his wife here on his return from the C. M. G. Hospital, Lewiston, before returning to his home in Bethel. Miss Esther Wheeler is with her mother during Mrs. Holman's absence.

Mrs. John Ross went to Portland, Monday to be with her daughter, Miss Lydia Ross, R. N., who underwent an operation for appendicitis.

Marshall Briggs is at the Community Hospital, Rumford, for observation and possibly surgery.

Her: "Could you marry a man who spends all he makes?" She: "No, but I could love him while it lasted."—Exchange.

Experiments show that fertilizer is most effective on potatoes when applied at planting time in a band on each side and slightly below the seed piece.

IN MEMORY OF MRS. FLORICE JOHNSON

She has stepped across the threshold To that fairer, brighter home, Leaving her beloved companion To finish life's course alone.

And her loving sons and daughters Thought to men and women grown, Long will mourn that gentle presence That could make a house a home.

And the friends who knew and loved her Sadly miss her words of cheer. Earth is indeed a sadder place, Since she is no longer here.

But we know that she is happy With the dear ones gone before, And she'll meet us with a welcome When we reach the other shore.

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Bongo Pond

Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Kimball and daughter Luana motored to Portland, Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Stone and little daughter, who have been staying at Leola Kimball's, have returned to their home in Lovell.

Helen Kimball is attending Fryburg High School and staying with her sister.

Hollis Grindle and Mae Cash were callers at Mr. and Mrs. Frank Smith's at Locke Mills, Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Crockett and daughter Thelma and Miss Ethel Smith and Earl Smith of Locke Mills were at their aunt's, Mrs. Mae Cash's, Sunday evening.

Perry Ralston and Mr. Stevens were callers at Hollis Grindle's one day recently.

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Get on the scales to-day and see how much you weigh—then get a bottle of Kruschen Salts that cost next to nothing and which will last you 6 weeks. Take one half teaspoonful in a glass of hot water in the morning—out down on poetry and fatty notes—go light on potatoes, butter, cream and sugar—and when you have finished the contents of this first bottle weigh yourself again.

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Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Saunders have taken one of the mill men to board.

Mrs. Dorothy Saunders called on her mother, Mrs. Mae Cash, one day recently.

Mrs. Arthur Crockett of Locke Mills has bought another lamb of A. H. Kimball.

Mrs. James Richardson 404 PARK AVENUE NEWTON CENTRE, MASS. Style A

Mrs. James R. Brown 309 Huntington Avenue Boston, Massachusetts Style B

There was a large attendance at the Albany Town Hall dance Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Kimball and two daughters of Sebago were at Leola Kimball's, Sunday.

Mr. Arthur Kimball is getting along nicely. They expect to go to their own home very soon.

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Brighten Homemakers' Workroom With Paint

Let the exposure of your kitchen help in selecting a color scheme that will make the kitchen attractive, advises Miss Ann F. Boggs, Extension home management specialist in our neighbor state of New Hampshire.

If your kitchen has a northern exposure, warm colors such as tan, peach, or yellow will both brighten and warm the room. For a kitchen that faces south, the cool colors of all green, grey, or light blue will make the room more attractive and comfortable. Whatever color is selected let it be a tint rather than a shade. For, points out Miss Boggs, some shades of blue, green, and tan absorb as much as 88% of the light that comes into the room, and a well-lighted kitchen is essential to the homemaker.

Nothing, she adds, will add more cheer in the kitchen than a bright well planned color scheme, and the person who will enjoy it most is the homemaker who spends the greatest portion of her working day there.

Bright colored pots and pans now available for moderate prices add their bit to making the kitchen more attractive. Beware of too much form and color that doesn't allow the enjoyment of any one part. Warm grey tones with small areas of bright color are attractive if there is plenty of light in the kitchen. Remember that simplicity is the keynote of success in color.

East Stoneham

Hannah Richardson Tent, Daughters of Union Veterans met Wednesday night in regular session. Officers for the ensuing year were installed by Mrs. Helen Grover, assisted by Gladys Kilgore as guide. Two officers-elect were absent on account of illness. At the close of the meeting a lunch of coffee, sandwiches and cake was served. Nineteen members were present.

The sewing bee will meet this week Wednesday at the home of Mrs. Grace Dickford.

Mrs. Georgia McAllister is at home again. She has been with her daughter, Mrs. Edith Rogers, for the past two weeks.

Carl Barker drove to Peru Tuesday to get Mrs. Frank Grover to help care for Mrs. Gertrude Barker's baby who is quite sick with the prevailing epidemic.

J. W. MacLean has sold his pine to Hersey & Allen and they have already started cutting it. It is a pity someone couldn't have bought it that could afford to let it stand, as it will make a great difference in the looks of the village. That lovely background of pine all through the village will be an unsightly brush heap.

South Albany

Betty Hill and Elsie Morey were in Norway, Saturday.

The Selectmen were in session at the Town House, Saturday.

Sunday callers at Roy Wardwell's were Mr. and Mrs. Colby Robinson and Winola Kimball from Portland, Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Kimball and Grace Bartlett from Locke Mills.

Bentrice Canwell was home from Gould Academy over the week end. E. K. Shedd called at Raymond Langway's, Sunday.

Roy Wardwell and son Arthur were in Lewiston on business, Wednesday.

Harold Canwell was in Bethel, Friday.

Rev. W. I. Hall conducted the church services at the Clark School on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Grover were Sunday guests at Arthur Andrews at Bryant Pond.

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West Bethel

Miss Esther Mason was home from South Paris over the week end.

Mrs. Nellie Seabury has finished work in Dixfield and is the guest of her sister, Mrs. M. M. Whitman. Fred Lovejoy is cutting wood for Adrian Grover.

Mr. and Mrs. Carmelo Onofrio and daughter Christina from Andover were Sunday guests of Mrs. Carlton Saunders.

The young people met with Mr. and Mrs. Fred Lovejoy, Sunday.

* R. M. Kneeland and F. O. Robertson were in Portland, Friday, of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Carroll Abbott were in Portland, Saturday.

The Sunday School will be held with Mrs. R. M. Kneeland next Sunday.

Word has been received from the Eye and Ear Infirmary, Boston, of the operation on the Rev. A. J. Verrell's eyes. It is said the operation was successful.

Arlene Rolfe has returned home from the St. Louis Hospital in Berlin where she has been for several weeks.

Miss Mildred Edwards, teacher of the grammar room is unable to teach and Mrs. Freeland Clark is substituting.

Mrs. Earl Jordan and sons, Al-man and Earl, Jr., of Auburn were recent guests of Mrs. Estella Goodridge.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Gibson have just returned from a week's visit to relatives in Boston.

Upton

Kenneth Casey and friend and Miss Lucy Ellis of Rumford were Sunday guests at William Barnett's. Miss Annie Ellis returned with them to her home in Rumford for a few days visit.

John Angevine, who has been working at Sunday Cove for L. E. Davis fell on the ice and split open his knee cap. He is in the Rumford Hospital.

The Young People held a party at the Library Building, Friday evening.

The Whist party at the Grange Hall, Saturday evening was not as well attended as usual.

The Robertis and Angevine boys and Henry Lombard attended the whist party at Magalloway, Friday evening of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Thompson and son and Mrs. Little Douglas were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Howard Douglas.

Miss Lillian Judkins attended the State Lecturer's Conference at Augusta last Thursday and Friday. Mrs. Dan Barnett took dinner on Sunday at Barnett's Camp, driving up the Lake to get there.

The Grange committee is now making plans for a whist party at the Hall on Saturday evening, Jan. 30th.

The Young People held their meeting Sunday evening at the home of Mrs. Dan Barnett.

Sunday River

The young people had a social meeting with the Rev. and Mrs. John Mantev at R. M. Bean's, last Wednesday night.

Lewis Spinney is still confined to the house after his recent fall on the ice.

Mrs. Joe Spinney has been ill for the past few days.

R. M. Bean is trucking wood to Upton for Harry Williamson.

Miss Carrie Hastings has returned to Washington, D. C., after a few days visit at the Hastings farm.

Mrs. Nettie Fleet has returned to work for Fannie Hastings after a few days visit at West Cumberland.

Kirke Stowell has horses and men on this side of the mountain yarding out birch. They are staying at R. L. Foster's.

John Nowlin and son Carl are working at East Bethel.

Esther Powers worked at Joe Spinney's one day last week. Mr. and Mrs. Ramsey Reynolds of Bath called at J. W. Reynolds' last Sunday.

D. S. Curtis of North Bridgton was in town Monday.

Miss Hazel Grover went home over the week end to West Bethel. Mr. and Mrs. L. C. O'Brien from West Cumberland were Sunday callers at Major Hastings' and R. M. Fleet's.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Chapman of South Windham were week end guests in town.

Martin Jackson has gone beaver trapping up in the lake region.

Edwards' truck of Lewiston brought a team of horses as far as R. L. Foster's, for Kirke Stowell.

Two coats of aluminum paint will seal in creosote in plaster more effectively than shellac.

Grover Hill

Unusually icy travelling this winter. M. F. Tyler is cutting pulp wood and has Burton Abbott helping him. Winfield Whitman has installed a new radio in his home.

Alfred J. Peaselee is at Walter Emery's doing chores in Mr. Emery's absence.

Mrs. J. B. Abbott was a recent guest of Mrs. Lois Morrill, Songo road.

Mr. and Mrs. George Bennett of West Bethel were guests at Maurice Tyler's a short time ago.

Mrs. Alice Waterhouse was out visiting schools several afternoons last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Sidney Rogers of South Waterford were guests at Mr. and Mrs. Clyde L. Whitman's, Sunday.

The town tractor came over this road Monday morning.

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There used to be a song about keeping the home fires burning. It was popular in the days when that wasn't much of a job. But it comes to our mind as we think of some of the battles that have been fought in the last four or five years.

Particularly does it apply to small town business institutions. We wonder how many persons have ever given consideration to the reasons why BETHEL is still a good town. What has kept it going, maintained good churches and schools, preserved it as a good place in which to live.

Of course the business places and professional persons, who have weathered the storm, have not done it all. But they have led the scrap against adverse conditions.

They have extended credit when credit meant something. They have paid taxes when they were losing money, so that we might continue to have good schools, a clean and orderly town. They have bought new merchandise for their shelves and kept up to date, when they were unable to collect much of the money due them for merchandise that had already gone out.

Many of these business and professional people would have been in better financial condition today if they had shut their doors when the trouble started. But they had a pride in their reputation, a loyalty to their community, an obligation to customers who had patronized them for years.

Today, as the future begins to look brighter, all of us who live in the community should remember who has kept the home fires burning. It's a fine thing to overcome that weakness, to be grateful and to show our appreciation.

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1/2-lb. pkg. 45c 1/2-lb. pkg. 33c

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IGA Cream Cereal, Pkg. 19c

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LARD, Swift's Pure, Lb. 17c

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Pork Loins, Whole or Half, Lb. 21c

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RUG AND KNITTING YARN for sale by manufacturer. Samples and knitting directions free. H. A. Bartlett, Harmony, Maine. 3

MISCELLANEOUS

BIRTHDAY AND FRUIT CAKES made to order. MRS. W. F. CLARK, Phone 64-4. 21c

Firearms, Ammunition, and Traps—Supplies, bought, sold, and exchanged by H. L. DEAN, Bethel, Maine. Dealer in Raw Furs, Deer Skins, Hides and Pelts. 21c

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Find Relics of 400-1600

Far below the ground on the island in the Seine from which rise the graceful towers of Notre Dame laborers have been digging dugouts against the next war are finding reminders of other wars, of long forgotten invasions, harrowing sieges and revolutions nearly two thousand years into the past, reports a Paris United Press writer.

In the courtyard of the somber Republican Guard barracks on the Ile de la Cité laborers have been excavating for a huge shelter against air bombardment. Archaeologists were called in when the workmen came upon ruins showing that this was not the first time Paris had been called on to protect itself.

Walls and columns of an ancient chapel and a church were discovered. Searchers revealed ruins varying in date from the Fourth century to the French revolution, and turned up human remains.

Archaeologists are confident that they will find another section of the original wall of the ancient Gallic city of Lutetia, and thus place together ruins recalling the first attacks by barbarians from the north and east, the days when St. Genevieve saved the small mud hut city from the Huns, and the epoch when Clovis made it his capital. They have found structures dating to the Fourth century, to the siege by the Normans in 885, to the Fifteenth and Sixteenth centuries and remains of forts built during the French revolution when the state took over property of the Church.

Alme Crenault, Inspector of the commission at Old Paris, revealed that the workmen had uncovered the floor of a chapel built in the Fourth century, when Paris was a few mud houses huddled on an island in the Seine in a swampy, uninviting but strategic valley. This chapel was called St. John the Baptist, and its early history is lost in the obscurity of the ancient Gallic town, which was first mentioned in Caesar's Commentaries as Lutetia.

A Family Affair

Marriage, in Japan, is more than a contract between the two parties who are to live together. In Japan, the marriage was made in the sacredness and the bride marries the whole family and must learn to please them all. Japanese never start when their sons leave at the altar, and Japanese never set a wife against her mother. The bride understands the duty of her new home and each according to his own business.

World's Youngest Mayor Guest of LaGuardia and New York



Municipal budgets and such were discussed by the mayor of the world's largest city and world's youngest mayor when Mayor LaGuardia of New York played host to 17-year-old Mayor Daniel Kampman of Boys Town recently. Left to right above are LaGuardia, Kampman and Father Flanagan, founder and director of Boys Town.

THE world's youngest mayor visited New York recently as official guest of the mayor of the world's largest city—and they talked about budgets!

Daniel Kampman, Mayor of Boys Town, Mo., is only 17 and the youngest mayor of a real city in the world. As mayor of New York, Fiorello LaGuardia controls the largest municipal budget in the world.

After being locked in private conference in LaGuardia's office for some fifteen minutes, the mayor of New York admitted newspapermen and photographers.

"Mayor Kampman and I have exchanged credentials," LaGuardia said. "We've decided this job of being mayor isn't all it's cracked up to be!"

"You said it!" chimed in the youthful Kampman.

Going to New York to take part in a national radio broadcast, the Mayor of Boys Town and Father Flanagan, founder and director of the nationally famous home for homeless boys there were accorded all the courtesies and honors extended by the metropolis only to world celebrities. They were met at the train by Mayor LaGuardia's official motor cavalcade with smartly uniformed motorcycle officers flanking all sides. With screaming sirens clearing their way through the heavy New York traffic, they were whisked to the city hall for this big public reception.

While the two mayors posed for a battery of photographers, Father Flanagan stood in the

background smiling gently, his eyes serious and kindly. He founded Boys Town, ten miles west of Omaha in 1917. Since then 4,466 homeless boys of all races, colors and creeds—from the 48 states of the union have been made good citizens there.

Assigned by reporters for a history of his famous home he said: "No boy is a really bad boy. If you take him off the streets you can stem the tide of crime. No one wants to be a criminal. It's only the lack of opportunity that makes boys criminals."

Breathless before the honors and recognition extended his homeless boys by the great American metropolis, Father Flanagan told newspapermen how Boys Town began 19 years ago with five boys, how today present Boys Town with its 360 acres of fine farm land and modern buildings was his dream come true. With pride he showed reporters a recent letter written him by J. Edgar Hoover, head of the nation's G-Men.

Hoover wrote: "If Boys Town were just financially able to care for all the boys that need its help, crime would be dealt one of the most effective and crushing blows I can imagine."

While in New York, young Kampman was offered an opportunity to attend an eastern preparatory school, a scholarship in an eastern college and a career. He turned them down with thanks, and a smile.

"Thank you very much," he said, "but I think I'll go back with Father Flanagan!"

BORN

At South Paris, Jan. 17, to the wife of Arthur Hart of North Paris, a son Wendell Arthur.

MARRIED

In Franconia, N. H., Jan. 14, Joseph Lakeway of Littleton, N. H., and Mrs. Ada Taylor of Mechanic Falls.

In Mechanic Falls, Jan. 16, by Rev. Lamb, Ray E. Cotton Jr. of Mechanic Falls and Miss Irene Blake of Bethel.

DIED

In Waterville, Jan. 10, Mrs. Fannie E. Hunt of Norway, aged 75 years.

In Berlin, N. H., Jan. 19, Reginald Robinson of Bethel, aged 25 years.

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CHURCH ACTIVITIES

CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH

Rev. Herbert T. Wallace, Minister

Sunday, January 24th

9:30 a. m. Sunday School

11:00 a. m. Morning Worship

Sermon subject, "Live and HELP Live."

6:30 p. m. Young People's Society

7:30 p. m. Fortnightly Forum

George E. Coleman, of Brunswick, Me., will speak of his trip to Germany and other countries of Europe this past summer. All are welcome.

Wednesday, January 27th, Annual Parish Supper and Church Roll Call. All adult members of the Parish are invited. The reports of the various organizations of the Church will be called for.

METHODIST CHURCH

Rev. P. J. Clifford, Minister

2:45 Church School

11:00 Morning Worship

8:30 Epworth League

7:30 Evening Service

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE SOCIETY

Sunday School at 10 o'clock

Servants Sunday morning at 10:45

"TRUTH" is the subject of the Lesson-Sermon which will be read in all Churches of Christ, Scientist, on Sunday, January 24, 1937.

The Golden Text is, "The Lord is good; his mercy is everlasting; and his truth endureth to all generations." (Psalms 100:5).

The citations from the Bible include the following passages: "Give ear, O ye heavens, and I will speak; and hear, O earth, the words of my mouth. He is the Rock, his work is perfect: for all his ways are judgment: a God of truth and without iniquity, just and right is he." (Deut. 32:1, 4).

The Lesson-Sermon also includes the following selections from the Christian Science Textbook, "Science and Health with Key to the Scriptures" by Mary Baker Eddy: "Spirit, Life, Truth, Love, combine as one—and are the Scriptural names for God. Not materially but spiritually we know Him as divine Mind, as Life, Truth, and Love. We shall obey and adore in proportion as we apprehend the divine nature and love Him understandingly; warping no more over the corporeality, but rejoicing in the assistance of our God." (P. 276:12-14, 140: 7-13).

First Wagon to Cross Rockies

On April 2, 1836, a Missouri river steamer stopped at Jefferson city, Mo., having on board Dr. Marcus Whitman, Rev. Henry H. Spalding, and their wives, who were en route to establish a mission among the Indians of Oregon. Joined at Liberty, Mo., by W. H. Gray, they purchased wagons, pack animals, cattle and provisions and began their long and perilous overland journey. The ladies were the first while women to cross the American continent. Whitman took with him, as far as Fort Boise, the first wheeled vehicle to surmount the Rockies and thus led the way for the development of nation-wide communication. The party reached Fort Walla Walla, on the Columbia, on September 2—exactly five months after their stop at Jefferson City.

Roquefort Streets Rise Against Sides of Cliff

The little town of Roquefort, in southeastern France, made famous by cheese, is also attractive because of its quaint and picturesque beauty. Its half-dozen narrow streets rise tier upon tier against the sides of a cliff. Apparently resting against the cliff are the long houses, four or five stories high, with quaint gables, dormer windows and brightly colored tile roofs. The tiny village church, shaped like a cross, with the town clock in its steeple, is a favorite stopping place for the many visitors.

Above the buildings, in the side of the cliff, are entrances to the caves where the famous cheese is cured. The massive grottoes have been made symmetrical by the villagers. Large stone columns have been hewn out of the stone to support the curved rock ceilings, so that, looking down the pathway, one sees a succession of graceful arches and lines of stone pillars, medieval in appearance.

Westernmost Capital in Europe

Lisbon, the capital of Portugal, lies on the River Tagus, near its entrance to the Atlantic ocean. It is the westernmost capital in Europe and is built in a succession of terraces up the sides of a range of low hills. It fronts the river and the view from the water of its white houses and its numerous parks and gardens is comparable in beauty with the approach of Naples or Constantinople, by sea. At the beginning of the Nineteenth century the French invasion, followed by the removal of the court to Rio de Janeiro, the Peninsular war, the loss of Brazil and a period of revolution and dynastic trouble, resulted in the utter decadence of the city, from which slight signs of recovery first became noticeable after 1850.—Philadelphia Record.

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Forum Hears Travel Talk

At the Fortnightly Forum Sunday evening a very good audience met to hear George I. man of Brunswick, who came of his recent trip to Germany and other countries of Europe. Coleman went as a delegate to the Poultry Congress in London and enjoyed an exceptional opportunity to travel extensively in a very easy and pleasant manner. The speaker told of his trip to France and Switzerland, Germany and then Holland. His first-hand observations upon conditions in Germany and his visit to the Olympic were of special interest.

Shower

Mrs. Custer Quimby (Wife) was honored a miscellaneous or at the home of her aunt, F. Vall, Saturday evening, a surprise to Mrs. Quimby, who found a jolly company of friends waiting to greet her.

The room where the event had been made very attractive with decorations of green and the gift basket was covered with matching colors. A pretty knot at the top of the concealed a poem which by read to the guests playing the gifts.

The evening's entertainment consisted of a poem read by and the singing of pop with Mrs. Laurence Le piano. Refreshments of and cake were served in tests.

Those present were Mrs. Tucker, Mrs. Laurence Herbert R. Rowe, Mrs. Mrs. Ralph Burris, M. Clough, Mrs. Wilbur M. Catherine Lyon, Miss Dalley, Mrs. Clayton F. Lucia Van, Mrs. C. W. Harriet Merrill, and Warren.

LADIES' AID OFFICERS

The following officers elected at the regular meeting of the Ladies' Aid Jan. 21:

President—Miss Minnie

1st Vice-Pres.—Mrs. J. loaf

2d Vice-Pres.—Mrs. J. Secretary—Miss Eul

Assistant Secretary—Hutchinson

Treasurer—Mrs. M. Charles D. Manny

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